

TO INVITE ROCKEFELLER AND GATES

Committee Investigating Steel Trust to Give Them
Chance to Defend Themselves Against Charges of
Merritt Brothers—Effort to Have Their Testimony
Stricken From the Records is Defeated.

Washington, Nov. 22.—John D. Rockefeller and his attorney, Rev. P. D. Gates of Montreal, N. J., will be invited by the house committee of inquiry into the United States Steel corporation to answer testimony given yesterday and today by Alfred and Leonidas Merritt of Duluth, Minn. The Merritts allege that, through Gates, Rockefeller took from them in 1893 \$10,000,000 in Messaba Iron Mine, and Duluth, Messaba, and Northern railroads "to satisfy a call loan of \$420,000." These securities were afterward sold to the United States Steel corporation, and are today a part of that corporation's vast holdings.

Not Compelled to Appear.
After Leonidas Merritt testified today that he went to New York with \$10,000,000 in securities and met Mr. Rockefeller, and two months later he had nothing except a "chance to walk from New York to Duluth on the ties," the steel committee held an executive session. Previously Chairman Stanley had announced that Mr. Rockefeller would be subpoenaed. The committee decided, however, merely to ask Messrs. Rockefeller and Gates if they wished to appear and to give them an opportunity to be heard.

Will Not Subpoena Rockefeller.
"If Mr. Rockefeller does not wish to come before the committee," Chairman Stanley announced, "the committee will not issue a subpoena for him. The same applies to Mr. Gates."

Wanted Testimony Stricken Out.
When Merritt had finished his testimony, during which he dramatically

described how Mr. Rockefeller first came to him with his proposal of a consolidation of interests in the Lake Superior region, lent him money and then foreclosed on him, leaving him and his brother without any equity in properties they had discovered and financed. Representative Danforth of New York moved that the testimony of both brothers be stricken from the record on the ground that it was irrelevant to the inquiry. This motion was lost.

No Value in Investigation.
In the discussion of the motion Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, who voted with Mr. Danforth in favor of it, said:
"It seems to me that this testimony is of little value to the committee in getting at one value or freight rates, even though it does—perhaps justly so—cast obliquely on Mr. Rockefeller. I cannot see where it is of any value in this investigation."

A Service to Humanity.
Of the same mind were George Wellwood Murray, counsel for Mr. Rockefeller, and D. A. Reid, counsel for the steel corporation, but when the motion had been voted down, Chairman Stanley said that he thought that by admitting the testimony of the Merritts, he had done a great service to humanity. The committee adjourned tonight, probably not to meet again until after congress convenes. The objection by the steel corporation to a continuance of the hearings because of the government's suit against it will then be taken up by the full committee.

BEEF PACKERS' APPEAL MAY COME UP TODAY.

Lawyers Leave to Submit It to the Supreme Court.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Counsel for the Chicago packers indicted under the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust act departed late today for Washington, where it is expected they will submit an appeal to Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court tomorrow.

The appeal to the supreme court was taken from the decision of Judge C. C. Kohlsaat, who issued and afterward quashed a writ of habeas corpus for the packers in the United States circuit court.

Fireman Killed in Wreck.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 22.—Jumping the track near Dallas this afternoon, the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas railroad passenger train known as the Firefly was wrecked, the engine and three coaches overturning. Fireman W. E. Alexander was crushed to death. None of the passengers was seriously hurt.

Prof. Karl Larson Here.

New York, Nov. 22.—Prof. Karl Larson of the University of Copenhagen is due here tomorrow on the steamer Frederich der Græne to spend four months in this country. He will collect material for a history of the Danish pioneer settlers.

GOLDEN CAUSE, HEADACHE

LAXATIVE BROWN Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature B. W. GROVE, 23c.

Coughing at Night

means loss of sleep, which is bad for everyone. Peley's Honey and Tar Compound stops the cough at once, soothes the inflamed membrane, prevents a cold developing into bronchitis or pneumonia. Keep always in the house. Refuse substitutes. Lee & Osgood Co.

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We tell you where they are made. We tell you what they are composed of and we tell you that you can buy them of

THE F. A. WELLS CO.

Our standard has been built on **quality and honest value.** See that your suits or custom clothes are made from **Earnsdales Pure Virgin Wool Worsteads.** All of our products bear our

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On and after August 1st, 1911, the Jewett

City Savings Bank of Jewett City, Conn., will

be open every business day (except Saturdays) from 10 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m.,

closing Saturdays at 12 o'clock.

FRANK E. ROBINSON, Treasurer.

STOMACH DISTRESS AND INDIGESTION GO AT ONCE

A Little Diapiesin Cures Indigestion
Gas, Heartburn or Dyspepsia in
Five Minutes.

If you had some Diapiesin handy and would take a little now your stomach distress or indigestion would vanish in five minutes and you would feel fine.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, out-of-order stomach before you realize it.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin and take a little just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching, no undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no undigested food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapiesin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there. Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drug store waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases of Pape's Diapiesin contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, indigestion, or any other stomach disturbance.

For coughing, dryness and tickling in the throat, hoarseness and all coughs and colds, take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Contains no opiates. Lee & Osgood Co.

FOSS AND COUNCIL

AT LOGGERSHEADS.

Republican Body Refuses to Confirm Governor's Nominations.

Boston, Nov. 22.—The objections to the selection of Governor Foss of Prof. Garret Drovers of Williams college, formerly president of the University of Dakota, as a member of the Massachusetts railroad commission, were sustained today by the governor's council by a vote of 7 to 1, his lone supporter being John Quinn, the sole democratic member of the council.

The council also rejected the nomination of Warren F. Spaulding of Cambridge as a member of the prison commission.

Governor Foss withdrew another nomination, that of David P. Stone-man as judge of the Dorchester court, before the council could vote on it.

The hearing on the nomination of Professor Dropper took place just before election and proved one of the most spirited in the council for years.

One of the strongest objectors to Professor Dropper was Charles Francis Adams, 2d, treasurer of Harvard college, who said that he had served on a committee mission with Professor Dropper and that the latter was totally unfit to hold office because of his lack of fairness, and that it would be a public calamity for him to serve on the railroad commission.

TURKEYS, DUCKS AND CHICKENS ARE LOWER.

Market Depressed by Three Shiploads of Ducks from Russia.

New York, Nov. 22.—As the result of a sudden invasion of the American market by Russian poultrymen, combined with an advance in the cost of poultry feed here, housewives have been enabled to cut living expenses for at least one respect, by buying ducks and chickens in the local downtown markets at from six to ten cents a pound cheaper than they were last year. Half a dozen big shiploads of ducks have arrived here recently from Russia and have sold at the wholesale rate of four cents a pound, a gain against quotations of two or three cents more for the domestic bird.

This reduction has had a sympathetic influence on the chicken market, which has also had a dropping tendency because of the apparent disinclination of poultry raisers to keep feeding their stock corn at \$1.50 a bushel. Turkeys are also lower than last year, but possibly because of the near approach of Thanksgiving the decrease in their price is not so marked as that in other varieties of poultry.

PERJURED TESTIMONY

IN LORIMER CASE.

Grand Jury to Take Action When the Committee Gets Through.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—With the shifting from Chicago to Washington of the senatorial investigation of United States Senator William Lorimer's election it was learned today that the federal grand jury in session here contemplated a rigid inquiry into charges that perjury was committed in testimony given before the committee.

But the committee let it be known that they were averse to any action by the grand jury until all the evidence is in. Further, it was stated that the evidence in possession of the committee would not be available for a grand jury until the hearings are closed. With this understanding all grand jury action was temporarily suspended.

Adjournment was taken today until Dec. 5, when the hearings will be resumed in Washington. John H. Marble, chief counsel, left for Washington tonight. It was said the hearings in the east will last two weeks and perhaps a month.

MISREPRESENTATION TO A PLAINFIELD WOMAN.

Henry H. Reardon Arrested for Using Mails to Defraud.

New York, Nov. 22.—Henry H. Reardon, a salesman, was arrested today by United States Marshal Henkel on charges of using the mails to defraud in the sale of stock of the Columbian-Sterling company, the firm which employed him. The charge is based upon a letter alleged to have been sent by Reardon July 17 last to Miss Nina M. Wright of Plainfield, Conn., saying that the company was in good financial condition. Reardon was held in \$3,000 bail for examination Dec. 1.

There have been several arrests recently of other employees and officers of the Columbian-Sterling company on similar charges.

MAYOR CUTS TURKEY PRICES.

Indianapolis Executive Promises Supply at 17 Cents a Pound.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 22.—To make the citizens of Indianapolis truly grateful a week from Thursday, Mayor Shanks, who has sent the price of provisions whirling downward, now promises 17-cent turkey for Thanksgiving day, and in order to make good his word he has visited many farms and contracted for the supply.

Fatal Fall from Tree.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 22.—Edward Bean of North Adams, Mass., fell from a tree in which he was at work on the street here today and broke his neck, dying later at the Middlesex hospital. He was 30 years old.

Fined \$10 for Adulterating Milk.

Naugatuck, Conn., Nov. 22.—Peter Lawson, a farmer, pleaded guilty in the court here today to adulterating his milk with water and was fined \$10 and costs.

No Need for a Pastry Flour

If you buy flour from low-grade wheat—

Flour imperfectly ground—

Flour not properly sifted—

Then you'll need another flour—a better flour—when you come to make dainty desserts.

But, if you buy Gold Medal Flour—

Made of premier wheat—20 times ground—sifted 10 times through silk—

You'll need no better flour for anything. You can't get any better.

It's a bad mistake, for any purpose, to get inferior flour.

You save nothing by it. You get less bread—immensely poorer bread. And part of it can't digest.

Flour is all-important.

If you knew, as we know, all the vast difference, you would always insist on the leading flour of the world—



WASHBURN-CROSBY'S

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

Crawford Parlor Stoves



Crawford "Parlor"



Crawford "Wood Parlor"

"Crawford Parlor." A genuine indirect draft stove with full return flue; the smoke passes down between the firepot and the outside casing of the stove to a flue beneath the ashpan, thence up and out through the back smoke pipe to the chimney, giving more heat and burning less coal. The grate center slides forward for dumping. Large clinker door; wide, deep ashpan; dust damper; nickel rails removable. Four sizes.

"Tropic Crawford." With or without down draft back pipe. Draw center grate. Best stove made at the price. Nickel rails removable.

Crawford "Wood Parlor." In this new heating stove for wood the front door swings open to give the effect of a fire-place. By moving a slide in this door the fire can be seen without opening the door itself. The slide openings are protected by wire gauze. The main top swings to one side and underneath it is a large plate that lifts to admit large pieces of wood.

This stove is made in both direct and indirect draft styles. It is strongly made and very handsome. Three sizes, to burn 19, 22 or 25 inch lengths.

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